

To whom it May Concern at the FCC:

It is outrageous that a corporation such as Sinclair Broadcasting be allowed to force their stations to preempt regular programming to air an anti-Kerry documentary on television days before the election....without any attempts to even offer an opposing view. This blatant example of electioneering is one among many of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest...ALL of the public. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for them and less of what we need for our democracy. Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them, and why the license renewal process needs to become a much more accountable one! Thank you.